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CABLE NEWS

SEATTLE.—One hundred and eighty strikebreakers were brought in this morning. Ten of them have been arrested for having failed to register in the east. The strikers several times attacked the Georgetown barns, four strikebreakers housed bombarding the stones. Twice the strikebreakers threw open the gates and directed a stream of water from the big fire hose on the attackers.

SAN FRANCISCO.—A demand for the immediate retrial of Thomas Mooney will be made at once by his lawyers as a result of the acquittal of his wife.

PARIS.—The military court today condemned to death for espionage the dancer known as Mata Hari who before her marriage was Marguerite Zell. She was born in the Dutch Indies and claims Dutch nationality.

American Camp in France.—The first American casualty was that of a soldier who became too inquisitive yesterday afternoon regarding the construction of a live French bomb. In extracting a safety pin he caused an explosion which resulted in the loss of his right hand.

LONDON.—A dispatch to the Post from Petrograd says that under Gen. Korniloff's drastic measures to restore order in the Eleventh army one whole division thereof was blown to pieces by its own artillery to avenge insults which all loyal troops, especially artillery, have been silently enduring for the past four months from traitorous rascals.

Petrograd.—Information regarding the guns of the Eleventh army staggers belief. The infantry shot down their own gunners in order to get their horses or shot down gun horses as they retreated, leaving practically all of the artillery of the Eleventh army in the enemy's hands.

SEATTLE.—The mayor this afternoon warned the traction company that if it attempts to operate cars with strikebreakers in the business district he will have the crews arrested as disorderly persons.

WASHINGTON.—The Senate will vote on the national prohibition amendment next Wednesday according to an agreement reached by the wet and dry leaders today. The debate on the amendment will begin Tuesday. A part of the agreement is that the amendment must provide that unless ratified within six years by 36 States it dies.

Madrid.—Quiet is being gradually restored throughout Spain which has been in a state of unrest due to strikes and other causes.

SEATTLE.—The Alaska Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce gave a luncheon at the Arctic Club today in honor of Bishop Crimont of Alaska.

WILKESBURG, PA.—Marion T. Rogers, mining engineer, formerly connected with the Guggenheims' interests in Alaska, died here today.

WASHINGTON.—Revising his figures McAdoo today told the Speaker of the House that six instead of five billions will be needed for war purposes.

FOSSIL EXPERT VISITS WRANGELL

Gathering Information and Specimens in Southeastern Alaska.

Messrs. Kirk and Overbeck of the U. S. Geological Survey were in Wrangell early this week to make arrangements for a cruise in this district. The services of W. C. Waters with his motor boat "The Glenora" were obtained and the party left Monday afternoon, northbound.

They will proceed to Juneau, Mr. Overbeck's destination, where he will secure passage on a steamer to the westward, as his present work takes him to that part of Alaska.

Mr. Kirk, the fossil expert, will cruise about in Icy Straits and vicinity, returning to Waagell in the near future. Later he will make a tour to the West Coast, gathering information and specimens from Prince of Wales Island.

SCOTCH CURED HERRING

Supply Falls Far Short of Market Demand

The samples of Scotch cured herring packed for Jacob Johnson of Port Conclusion were disposed of in Seattle. The broker who handled them spoke very highly of them, claiming that the trade demanded herring of this cure.

There are at present two New York buyers in Alaska for big herring companies in the East who are looking for Scotch cured herring. The latest advices are that the market is almost bare due to the English embargo still in force, and the Alaska pack will fall short of the demand. Scotch cured herring in Scotch style barrels brought \$14 to \$15 last week in Seattle.

Scotch barrels are now in stock at the Western Coöperage Co. at Seattle, and are selling for less than the other barrels. Their capacity is 250 pounds, which is 50 pounds more than an ordinary barrel. The advantages of this seems obvious: fewer barrels for the same amount of fish, with less expense and less freight to pay, while the price obtainable is better.

Herring packed Scotch style sell when others have no market. For advice as to the market conditions, write the Bureau of Fisheries, or A. H. D. Klie, 1140 Garden St., Hoboken, New Jersey. Information will be furnished gladly.

WASHINGTON.—Col. Goethals will probably be ordered to France at the head of the American engineers. President Wilson has accepted the resignation of Brent.

SEATTLE, July 25.—Father Crimont was enthroned bishop of the new diocese of Alaska at St. James cathedral this morning. The consecrator, Arch Bishop Christie of Portland was assisted by Bishop O'Dea of Seattle, Bishop Schroeder of Spokane. A large number of noted prelates and priests of the north-west were present.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—The federal city authorities rounded up and arrested many saloon keepers charged with selling liquor to soldiers.

BERLIN, July 25.—Stanislaw is being evacuated by the Russians. The Germans have crossed the Secreth river into the region of Mifulice defeating the Russians south of Neister, the Russians retiring to the eastward.

BERLIN.—German troops have captured the Galician towns of Duczacz, Tlumacz, Ottynia and Delatyn, the war office announced today. The Russians are retreating in the direction of Czernowitz, the capital of Bukowina.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Barlow are in Wrangell today from Point Warde.

C. S. Hubbel, surveyor, is expected to arrive during August and will spend several weeks in Wrangell.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. F. Matheson, Glen Matheson, Miss Katherine Bronson, and Messrs. Cotton and Wheeler of the U. S. S. Explorer made an excursion up the Stikine river Sunday on Mr. Matheson's cruiser, "Glen." The party saw the fish wheel recently put in operation by K. J. Johansen. They visited Little Andrew's creek the same afternoon, returning to Wrangell in the evening.

Mrs. Chas. Follansbee, formerly of Wrangell, became ill suddenly a few days ago at Galahad, Alberta. Her physician decided that an operation was necessary. There being no hospital at Galahad she was taken to Calgary and the operation performed in the General hospital of that city. A message from Mr. Follansbee to his wife's brother in Wrangell states that the operation was successful and the patient is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Farrer who came in on the Uncle Dan Wednesday of last week left Wrangell on the City of Seattle, Saturday morning for Seattle. Mr. Farrer, who was formerly captain of the Vermont in the employ of the Vermont Marble company of Tokean, Alaska, recently brought up a cannery tender from Seattle for Supt. C. C. Harris of the Craig cannery. He goes to accept an excellent position on Puget Sound and the young people will make their home in that vicinity.

Miss Emma Knutsen of Astoria, Oregon, arrived on the Spokane Sunday morning. Miss Knutsen will spend about three weeks in Wrangell visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John A. Peterson, before returning to Oregon where she will teach the coming school year. This is Miss Knutsen's first trip to Alaska and she has already expressed a liking for the country.

James O'Donnel, in whose possession were found the parcels of Lieut. C. C. Clark which were taken from the hotel at Petersburg, was not convicted. The Petersburg Report in reporting the occurrence, says: "O'Donnel was given a hearing, and it appearing from the testimony of the witnesses that he had been so drunk at the time as to not know what he was doing, he was released."

The mill tug, Alaska, returned Tuesday morning at 8 a.m. from a week's trip to the West Coast of Prince of Wales. Some delay was experienced in unloading due to the lack of available labor on the Coast. The Alaska called at the Karheen Packing Co.'s cannery of Karheen and the Anacortes Fisheries Co.'s cannery at Shakan, with half a load of boxes for each port. She leaves again this week for the Santa Ana cannery.

Miss Elsie Moore, who has been with the Sentinel since its present publisher took charge nine months ago, has resigned, and gone to Point Warde to accept a position with the Point Warde Packing Company. During the past year the Sentinel has lost two of its young lady employees through marriage, and we think Miss Moore's resignation was due to her being somewhat frightened.

Dr. J. E. Evans of Tacoma, son of J. E. Evans, filer for the Willson Sylvester mill, arrived in Wrangell recently and will spend the summer here rustivating.

IMPORTANT TO BOAT OWNERS

Capt. C. M. Poncin arrived on the "Onawa" yesterday and will be here for a day or two to inspect boats in order for them to get the license that is required by an order that in the Thirteenth naval district (which includes Alaska) that all vessels of three tons tonnage and over be provided with a special form of license. This naval license is solely for identification, and is in addition to all other marine documents heretofore required. Each boat receiving a license will be given a number which must be painted on both sides and stern of the boat. All boats not numbered before the naval patrol goes into effect will be subject to seizure.

AN ENJOYABLE TRIP ON STEAMER AFOGNAK

Captain Hyrvarinen Has the Sentinel Man in Tow for Two Days

Through the courtesy of Superintendent L. E. Schott of the A. P. A. the publisher of the Sentinel this week had a most delightful trip on the steamer Afognak to the company's fish traps south of Wrangell.

As a host Capt. Hyrvarinen of the Afognak is a prince, and it is certainly a treat to travel in his company.

The first stop was made at the company's floating trap at Sunny Cove, 36 miles south of Wrangell. Another floating trap near Point Warde was fished, as was also a third trap near the mouth of Anan Creek. Very few fish were going up Anan Creek, although the fishermen in this vicinity seemed to be doing fairly well. Just before the arrival of the Afognak at Anan creek a fisherman at that place shot one of his competitors. The competitor that was killed was a half grown black bear.

The Afognak brought in 19,000 salmon taken from three traps that had not been fished for two days.

The run of salmon in the vicinity of Wrangell has been light so far this season, but the catches are increasing daily, and the month of August may witness a heavy run. All reports from north of Kake are that fish are more plentiful than for several years and the canneries north all have more fish than they can possibly handle.

In addition to the interest one finds in visiting the fish traps of this region, there is the charm of the scenery along the route. From Ketchikan to the Kenai peninsula we have not seen any section of the Alaskan coast that compares with the Wrangell region in scenic beauty. The numerous small islands with their dense growth appear like submerged vases with only the flowers above the water. The numerous fiords, waterfalls, and snow crested mountains all go to make a vista of indescribable beauty. And the best part of it is that it is right here at home—ours to enjoy any time we will break away long enough to get out on the water.

It is unnecessary to state who looked after our interests while we were out of town.

ROAD TO THE CEMETERY MAY BECOME REALITY

Forest Supervisor W. G. Weigle of Ketchikan, and W. Waugh, were in Wrangell this week to look over the proposed route of the road to the cemetery.

Nothing definite is known yet, but it is likely that at last the much needed and much talked about road to the cemetery will be built.

TRAGEDY AT UNION BAY

A tragedy occurred at Union Bay Monday night when a Chinaman named Bo Sing was struck on the head with a cleaver by Jose Maria Rosas, a Mexican. Sing's skull was cracked for seven and one half inches. Rosas was overpowered and he and Sing were brought into town by Arthur Leonard. Sing was taken to the hospital not expected to live, while Rosas was turned over to Deputy U. S. Marshal H. J. Wallace.

Tuesday afternoon Drs. Pigg and Shurick removed several pieces of fractured skull larger than a 25-cent piece, and cleaned out the crack its entire length of seven and one half inches. Yesterday Sing was perfectly rational and made a statement before U. S. Commissioner Weber in the presence of witnesses. The statement was taken in writing and signed by Sing. He declared that there had been no trouble whatever between himself and Rosas. He said that he was asleep when he was struck on the side of the head and that as he raised up in bed he was chopped across the top of the head with a cleaver by Rosas. Rosas was then brought to Sing's bed and he positively identified him as the man who had chopped his head open.

Last night Rosas, the defendant, was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner C. E. Weber. Several witnesses were examined and the fact well established that Rosas is the man who committed the crime. Dr. Pigg testified that the condition of Sing is very critical. The defendant testified that he had been drunk and must have been crazy at the time as he had no recollection of the deed. He said he had never had the least trouble with Sing. He stated that he had never been in court before and that this was the first time he had ever been out of his right mind.

After hearing the evidence U. S. Commissioner bound the defendant over pending the death or recovery of Sing. The bond of Rosas was fixed at \$10,000. Being unable to furnish the bond he was committed to the custody of Deputy U. S. Marshal H. J. Wallace who will take the prisoner to Juneau in a few days.

DUGGAN LEAVES FOR DENVER

Popular Young Man Returns Home After Spending More Than a Year in Alaska

Harold Duggan was a passenger south on the S. S. Prince Rupert Sunday afternoon, enroute to his home in Denver. Mr. Duggan will make connections at Prince Rupert with the Grand Trunk Pacific and from Seattle he will go south as far as Los Angeles, where he expects to spend a little time before returning to his home state. Mr. Duggan has been in Wrangell over a year and is a popular member of the younger set. His departure has caused much regret among his relatives and many warm friends in Wrangell.

WORDEN RESIGNS AS POSTMASTER

Is Seriously Ill and Must Undergo an Operation

Postmaster J. E. Worden wired his resignation to Washington Wednesday morning. Mr. Worden is seriously ill and unable to continue in government service. At present he is suffering acutely from a nervous trouble and a year of rest will be necessary before he can be restored to health. As soon as he is relieved from duties connected with the local post office he will leave for Seattle. Mr. Worden has been Postmaster here for nearly seventeen years, during which time he has never made a trip south. He has been a faithful servant and his popularity was evidenced recently when almost 100 per cent of the leading residents of Wrangell signed a petition for his reappointment.

Naturally there is some speculation as to whom the President will nominate as Mr. Worden's successor. The name of John W. Stedman has been mentioned in connection with the position. It is also reported that Mr. Stedman sent in a petition some time ago. This is not true. He has never applied for the office. But Mr. Stedman is a man who could fill the office most efficiently. He is progressive and would keep the office abreast of the town. The people of Wrangell would be fortunate indeed if he should receive the appointment. It is with much pleasure that the Sentinel predicts that Mr. Stedman will be Wrangell's next postmaster.

WILL APPEAL TO THE HOUSEWIVES OF WRANGELL

The local Post Office has been advised that a supply of cards issued by the U. S. Food Administration Bureau will be sent at an early date. These cards will be immediately delivered to women and girls; over fifteen years of age, residing within this postal district. The printed cards contain a pledge which should be signed by all women and girls who wish to do their bit in Food Conservation.

It is the purpose of the Department to furnish each person signing one of the pledge cards with a household window tag entitled "Member of the United States Food Administration," and a card bearing the first instructions of the Food Administrator. These will be sent when the cards have been duly signed, collected and registered.

It is the desire of this Department to have the Postal Service cooperate to the fullest possible extent with the Food Administration in carrying out the important and vital work which is undertaken with a view to supporting and assisting the country in these momentous times, thereby assuring the successful prosecution of the war.

The housewives of Alaska and those who have the privilege of handling a part of the National Food Supply will readily see the advantage of this plan and lend their aid to abolish careless methods, prevent waste and encourage thrift in the management of Alaska homes.

Wm. Strong was in town this week, leaving for his fishing location above the Boundary Monday. He reports a satisfactory run of pink and reds. Some good catches have been made lately and the prospects for the season are fine.

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United States' New Monetary System Able to Meet Post War Financial Problems

By L. F. LOREE, President Delaware and Hudson Railroad



WE are forced to ask ourselves to what extent America, with its high standard of wages, its short hours of labor and its restrictions upon speed, output and efficiency, its labor union domination of legislatures and public executives, can compete successfully with Europe, purged as by fire of everything tending to inefficiency and courageously resolved to recreate what has been destroyed, to regain and augment the industrial position which temporary folly has imperiled.

WE SHOULD THEN BE INVITED TO AN ECONOMIC STRUGGLE WHICH WOULD BE LOST UNLESS THE HIGHEST AMERICAN STATESMANSHIP SHOULD BE FEARLESSLY DEVOTED TO THE TASK OF FREEING DOMESTIC INDUSTRY FROM ITS SHACKLES.

The peril of sudden nonemployment of capital and labor when peace ends the unprecedented demand upon our industries may be counteracted partially by the devotion of this country to the strengthening of its own defenses.

The chief financial problem of the aftermath will be the necessity of continuing the assumed obligation of absorbing foreign loans, causing intensified world demands on capital and making more difficult the meeting of recurring and increasing domestic needs for money.

It is most fortunate in the face of such financial problems that the United States has reorganized its monetary system; that it has created the federal reserve board with broad powers and lofty prestige, competent to investigate and to contrive expedients and remedies, ready to advise legislators and leaders of finance, SO EQUIPPED WITH THE GARMENTS OF REASON AND THE VOICE OF AUTHORITY THAT ITS ADVICE IS LIKELY TO BE HEED.

Eskimos of Alaska a Self Supporting and Independent Race

By WALTER C. SHIELDS, Superintendent of the Bureau of Education, Alaska

THE claim of our service is that the Eskimo by reason of his inherent qualities and because of his geographical position is fit and able to survive, and we claim that by our system of education for him we are making him not only more fit to survive, but that he will be a vital factor in the development of northern Alaska.

The Eskimo is not dependent. On the contrary, he is, even in his present condition, a real and vital factor in the wealth of the country. He has never received a ration from the government. He can support himself. We are proud of the fact that we have not fed the Eskimo. We are proud of him as a man because he feeds himself.

The keynote of our school system for the Eskimo is its direct relation to the village life. Thus the school republic becomes the village council, the school garden soon becomes the village garden, the cooking class becomes the bread baking class for the village, the cleanup of the school ground becomes the village cleanup, the bench work for the boys' class becomes the boat and sled building center for the village.

AND, MOST STRIKING OF ALL, THE SCHOOLBOY WHO IS SENT TO THE REINDEER HERD AS AN APPRENTICE IN FOUR YEARS BECOMES THE TRAINED HERDER, THE SUPPORTER OF HIS FAMILY AND A FUTURE LEADER OF HIS PEOPLE.

Improved Methods of Business Assure Continuation of Prosperity

By EDWARD N. HURLEY, Chairman Federal Trade Commission

THE manufacturers and business men of this country are awake and are preparing to improve their business conditions by co-operating and by adopting systems of cost accounting and more efficient methods of manufacturing. This is fundamental and most essential and will enable us to meet any condition that may develop. Our vision has broadened. We are doing things on a large scale.

WHERE WE FORMERLY THOUGHT AND WORKED IN A PROVINCIAL WAY WE ARE NOW WORKING AND THINKING NATIONALLY AND INTERNATIONALLY.

We have never been more prosperous. It is estimated that only 5 per cent of the goods manufactured in this country are war munitions.

With every man and woman desiring work employed, with most favorable prospects of an enormous crop, almost every factory running night and day, with the total value of building permits the largest in our history, with railroads and shipping at the highest mark, with every bank in the country carrying an exceptionally large surplus that they are desirous of loaning to business men, I feel that this country will not only continue to be prosperous, but at the end of the war we will be called upon to supply money and material FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT THAT WILL EXTEND OUR PROSPERITY FOR MANY YEARS.

SLEEP AND GOOD HEALTH.

Proper Rest is Essential to Bodily and Mental Vigor.

High strung nerves, stomach trouble, headaches and general ill health may all result from sleeping under poor hygienic conditions. It makes little difference upon what you sleep provided you are accustomed to that kind of bed and awake the next day refreshed and fit. But if you would rest well and get most out of your sleep the body should have some preparation before retiring.

Too many people tumble into bed with a body truly filthy and a skin very little more active than rawhide. The waxy materials from the skin glands become mixed with sweat and dust during the day, and when this mixture becomes dry the pores are closed up and become diseased and inactive.

Good health cannot continue indefinitely under these conditions, and if the wastes are not properly got rid of the sleep will be restless and fitful. A bath of some kind will well repay the trouble not only at the time, but in helping to keep the internal organs healthy, because an active skin will do its share in clearing up the debris of the day just past.

If you must keep all the other windows closed tight, for goodness sake open the windows of the bedroom. Night air is dangerous? One would think all air was dangerous the way most folks shut it out of the house.

There is every reason why you should keep the bedroom windows open, and, except in rare instances, there is no reason why they should be closed, even in the coldest winter. If drafts from open windows are objectionable the location of the bed should be changed.

Unfortunately houses have not been built for comfortable living. Get your windows down from the top in the bedrooms and nail them down so that they cannot be closed. If you cannot live in the fresh air this world is not the place for you. After you have learned to sleep in the pure air you will have fewer bodily ailments. The great sacrifice of useful lives to tuberculosis would not occur if the sleeping rooms had the sash entirely removed instead of being closed tightly.—Dr. Julian Clarke in Farm and Home.

Too Big a Compliment.

Miss Henrietta was not a sylph by any means, but she prided herself upon the neatness of her well rounded figure, and when she appeared on the hotel veranda one summer day with a cluster of white ox eye daisies pinned against the crisp freshness of her green linen frock gallant old Colonel Floyd was moved to make her a pretty speech.

"What charming posies!" he remarked, with a Chesterfieldian bow. "They suit you exactly. You look like a Virginia hillside."

He was mystified at the frigid reply with which Miss Henrietta received his bit of homage.—Youth's Companion.

Laughter.

Laughter, while it lasts, slackens and unbraces the mind, weakens the faculties and causes a kind of remissness and dissolution in all the powers of the soul, and thus far it may be looked upon as a weakness in the composition of human nature. But if we consider the frequent relief we receive from it and how often it breaks the gloom which is apt to depress the mind and damp our spirits with transient unexpected gleams of joy one would take care not to grow too wise for so great a pleasure of life.—Addison.

Good Actions.

Every good act is charity. Giving water to the thirsty is charity. Removing stones and thorns from the road is charity. Exhorting your fellow men to virtuous deeds is charity. Smiling in your brother's face is charity. Putting a wanderer in the right path is charity. A man's true wealth is the good he does in this world. When he dies mortals will ask what property has he left behind him, but angels will inquire, "What good deeds hast thou sent before thee?"—Mohammed.

Contentment.

Socrates, on being invited by Archelaus to come to his house and he would make him rich, sent this response, that in Athens a measure of flour could be bought for a cent and there was water in the public fountains. "If my things do not seem sufficient for me," he added, "I adapt myself to them, and so they become sufficient."—Plutarch.

His Ways.

"My husband," sobbed Mrs. Frivol, "is the most contrary kind of a man."

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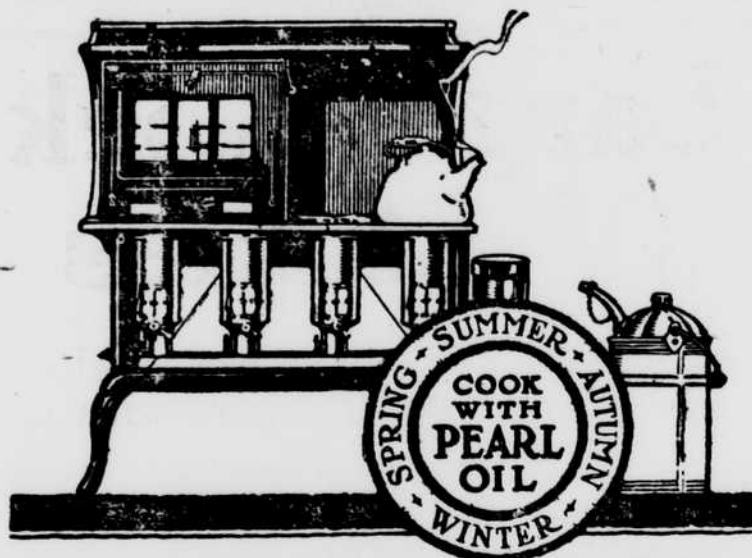
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[Reprinted from the War Cry]

Adjutant H. C. Habbirk, who is soon to relinquish the charge of the Vancouver Men's Social, to proceed to Alaska to look after the Army's Work in that northern climate, has spent a very busy three years, but has much to encourage him in his work among prisoners and other unfortunates who have from time to time come under his cognizance. He has from the first taken a keen interest in those who, by a foolish action, or even an act of madness, brought themselves within the meshes of the law.

One of the most difficult cases the Adjutant has been called upon to deal with was the notorious "Mickey the Dago," whose story appeared in detail in the pages of "The War Cry" some two years ago, and was briefly as follows: Detective Levis, of the Vancouver Police Force, was fatally shot in attempting to arrest several notorious characters. "Mickey" was afterwards arrested and charged with being the murderer of Detective Levis, found guilty, sentenced to death, and was hanged in New Westminster Jail.

It was during the time the prisoner was awaiting trial that Adjutant Habbirk got in touch with him. "Mickey" had been a "tough" youth and, as he put it, knew little of the "religious game," and was for a time somewhat reticent, but the Adjutant so judiciously worked himself into his confidence that during his trial "Mickey" wished the Adjutant to be continually with him, and after being sentenced had him officially appointed his spiritual adviser.

During his last days the Adjutant spent considerable time in company with the condemned man, who, at the last, gave unmistakable signs that he, too, knew something of the "religious game," and as the end drew near, got much comfort and consolation therefrom.

It is perfectly surprising how much confidence the average prisoner has in the Army's ability to help him. And, as a result, the Officer is called upon to perform all sorts of duties for them, such as the finding out of relatives, writing to the Minister of Justice on their behalf, looking after their belongings, seeing their bankers as to their balances, etc., etc.

One very sad case in which the Adjutant took a considerable interest was that of R. J. Lewis, a man who had conducted a respectable business, but who, along with his partner, had been led into a rather shady financial deal, with the result that both were ultimately landed in jail. The matter so weighed upon Lewis' mind that his health gave way, and the Adjutant was instrumental in having him released and taken to Vancouver City Hospital. Soon afterwards he was granted a free pardon, but by this time, his health was undermined so that he died really of a broken heart, a day or so afterwards. The Adjutant, who was in touch with his relatives in Seattle, looked after the remains and accompanied them to that city.

Another case was that of Loch Chung, an old man who was undergoing a life sentence. Through the Army's intervention he was liberated and sent home to his friends in China. Other two Chinamen who were mixed up in the same crime and had the death sentence passed upon them, which was afterwards commuted to life imprisonment, have been recently re-

leased on parole, after serving thirteen years.

Still another case in which the Adjutant successfully intervened was that of a Swede named Boquist, who had been sentenced to fifteen years and twenty lashes. On condition that the Adjutant would see that he left the country, eight years was taken off his sentence. A position on a ship sailing for India was found for him.

In addition to the work in the jails and at the Police Court, the Men's Social Officer is continually being interviewed by relatives and parents of those in trouble. We do not as yet conduct any religious service in the penitentiary, the Officer visiting there for advice, etc., once a month, when there is an average of ten or twelve inmates waiting for an interview with him. Since Adjutant Habbirk came, however, he has been successful in getting permission to take the Band once a year to give them a musical treat. During his stay here he has been able to arrange for four visits of the Vancouver Nos. 1. and 11. Bands.

In the other two jails, New Westminster and Okala Prison Farm, services are held regularly every Sunday, which seem to be greatly appreciated. The writer has a very vivid recollection of one occasion when out helping the Adjutant with the services, that a tall young man, not by any means a bad-looking fellow, came forward to speak to the Adjutant, and said, in effect: "My term is about up. I do not expect to see you here again, but I thought I would like to thank you and those associated with you for coming here every Sunday. We fellows appreciate your services more than we care to show, but let me assure you that you have little idea of the amount of good you do. Keep on."

Over a year ago the women prisoners were removed from New Westminster to Okala. At the suggestion of the Adjutant the warden and officials very considerably made arrangements whereby the women are privileged to be present at the services. He was also fortunate in being able to secure the services of Songster May Cuffin, of Vancouver 1., who attends regularly as organist, and, when wanted, interviewing any of the women prisoners. The Officials, who, from the least to the greatest are the essence of courtesy, very kindly let the Adjutant have a list of those whose terms are up each month, so that he is better able to lend a helping hand.

Adjutant Habbirk desires to thank the Corps' Officers and comrades, particularly Commandant M. J. J. J., and his Band and Songsters, who not only supply "War Crys" and "Young Soldiers" for the prison, but are always so willing to co-operate in any way to make the prison services helpful and interesting.

The Really Important Thing.

Aged Suitor—It is true that I am considerably older than you, but a man is as young as he feels, you know, and—

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RED + CROSS NOTES

The young ladies of Wrangell Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. Campbell on the evening of August 1 from 8 until 9 o'clock. The knitting class will then be organized.

The first things to be knitted are the hospital washrags, as formerly described in Red Cross notes of this paper.

The Red Cross will hereafter meet on Friday afternoons from 2 until 4 as well as on Tuesdays.

Perhaps there are some who prefer Friday, and, better still, who will come on both days.

If there are those who cannot give a whole afternoon, drop in and sew for an hour or even one-half hour. Everyone is needed.

The work on hospital supplies is progressing. There have been a great many handkerchiefs, shoulder capes, napkins and so forth, made. Many more must be gotten ready before the box is finished.

CHAIRMAN,
Publicity Committee,
Wrangell Chapter, Red Cross Society.

The Faith Worth While.

Faith has been defined as the substance of things hoped for, and the evidence of things not seen.

Some men have been made fools of, by what they called faith, and on the other hand, a man without faith is a weakling, really deserving of pity.

"What is a useful faith and what faith is worth while?" This will be the theme at St. Philip's Church Sunday evening July 29.

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Local and Personal

Mrs. Wm. Tamaree returned Saturday from Salmon Bay where she has been for the past month.

A. H. Reid and M. Gardner were passengers for Seattle, on the City of Seattle, Saturday.

Ed Grigwire's dandruff treatment is the best on the market. Try it and be convinced.

Albert Flack brought the Nellie B. in from Point Warde, Friday.

Mrs. P. C. McCormack, daughter Margaret and Peter, Jr., returned Friday from Santa Ana cannery where they have been spending the week with Superintendent and Mrs. C. B. Hanthorne.

Hair cutting a specialty by J. P. Levering at Patenaude's stand.

Misses Lucy and Cora Haskins arrived Monday morning on the Dolphin from Thane, Alaska. They will visit their sister, Mrs. Robert Livesay in Wrangell this summer.

F. L. Larson of Bushet Inlet was a passenger south on the City of Seattle en route to South Bend, Wash.

B. Linderberger, a Craig cannery man, is in Juneau on a scouting trip after fish.—Dispatch.

Mr. Hans Johnson left for his home in Medford, Oregon Monday morning after a ten days' visit with his son, M. O. Johnson.

For the shave and haircut of satisfaction go to Ed Grigwire's shop, opposite drug store.

Mrs. J. S. Clark and daughter, Miss Virginia, will arrive home next week.

D. R. Crawford took an examination before the postmaster yesterday for scientific assistant of the Bureau of Fisheries.

Electric messages.—J. P. Levering at Patenaude's stand.

Mrs. S. A. Shepard and children left last week on the Alki for Petersburg.

F. H. Madden of Medford, Oregon, a stockholder in the Point Warde Packing Co. at Point Warde, Alaska, left for Seattle on the S. S. Prince Rupert, Sunday.

Try an electric massage by J. P. Levering at Patenaude's stand.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Borch, N. A. Lillian and George Storch made a trip to Snake creek Sunday. They caught a nice string of fish and inspected the healthy vegetable garden at that place.

Cliff McCay who has been employed at the McDonald-Weist Logging camp for some time past is now with The Alaska Logging Co.

Thomas Wall, who spent several days at the Wrangell hospital last week, is now fully recovered from his illness and working at the local mill again.

Miss Myra Hume of Kansas City, who was in Wrangell the early part of the month, was a southbound passenger on the Princess Alice Tuesday evening.

Misses Aileen and Gertrude Hendrickson of Ketchikan were passengers north on the Spokane Sunday morning. The young ladies visited Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Leonard and family and other friends while the steamer lay in port.

C. C. Babbie of Juneau visited with his friend, W. D. Grant, while the Alice was in port Tuesday.

Col. Mason, chief engineer on the Dan, laid off last trip. A. C. Davis substituted for Mr. Mason.

Col. Mason was initiated into the Moose lodge Friday evening. The Colonel found the Moose goat a little more difficult to handle than a gas engine.

Miss Moody of the Alaska Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce was a guest of the Wrangell Sentinel while the Spokane was in port last Sunday.

Superintendent C. B. Hanthorne of the Santa Ana cannery made a trip to Taku harbor returning Sunday. Mr. Hanthorne reports that Superintendent Carlson of the Taku cannery is blocked, having more fish than he can possibly handle.

Have that suit cleaned and pressed by the New York Tailor.

John W. Stedman who was injured by a fall four weeks ago is able to be about again and will return to his position as bookkeeper for the St. Michael Trading company next Monday morning.

The steamer Explorer of the Coast and Geodetic Survey was in port several days this week.

E. E. Harvey was in town this week from the Olympic mine at Smith's camp.

S. Bergman arrived on the Dan yesterday from Warm Chuck.

Fred Lynch left Friday evening for a sojourn of several weeks at Quiet harbor.

Ray Ready came in from Tokeen on the Dan yesterday.

Arthur Thompson, who had his leg broken at Charlie Darwell's camp a month ago, and who has since been in the Wrangell hospital, was out of bed for the first time this week.

Pressing done while you wait at the New York Tailor's.

Alfred Holmead, assistant secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission was a passenger on one of the C. P. R. boats a few days ago.

The local Moose lodge has ordered an honor roll. The first name to be inscribed thereon will be that of Ellery Clifford Carlson with the date of his initiation and also the date of his enlistment.

The Worden home on the corner of Greif and Reid streets was sold this week to F. B. Leonard. The residence will be ready for occupancy by the buyer about Sept. 1.

Mrs. Edgar Baird of Stockton, Cal., was the guest of Miss Woods while the Spokane was in port Sunday. Mrs. Baird will stop off in Wrangell when the Spokane returns from Skagway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hanthorne came in on the Dan yesterday from Warm Chuck.

The oil steamer, George Loomis, arrived Wednesday morning to take on a load of empty oil drums from the Sanitary and McCormack wharves. She left several hours later for Juneau. The Loomis is one of the Standard Oil fleet operated in Southeastern Alaska between ports.

Mr. and Mrs. Oak Olson were passengers to Petersburg on the Humboldt Tuesday morning after spending a few days in Wrangell.

The Civic Improvement Club will hold its regular meeting tomorrow afternoon (Friday) at 3 o'clock at the home of Miss Woods. All members urged to be present.

St. Philip's Guild will meet with Mrs. Edwin Hofstad next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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BROTHER OF WRANGELL MAN GOING TO FRONT

Dr. J. B. Corser, a specialist of Scranton, Pa., and a brother of Rev. H. P. Corser of Wrangell, has volunteered his services to the government, been accepted, and will soon depart for France.

A recent issue of the Scranton Republican contains an account of a dinner given by the Lackawanna Medical society to the several physicians and surgeons of Scranton who have volunteered their services in the army. At this dinner Dr. Corser was called upon to speak. He said in part:

"We Americans still believe that there are enough others in our country a little more vitally interested than some who have decided to stay at home, who will fight this thing out while the stay-at-homes go along their soft, easy, selfish life with no cares or worries except taxes."

"I know you have been told countless times that you are a fool to go to war; that your duty is to your family, to your parents, to your practice."

"Gentlemen, I want to register one big protest against the thoughtless attitude and speech of the people of this section toward the most self-sacrificing body of men this nation has seen in a century. The volunteer rookie is worth more to humanity than a regiment of the smiling, supercilious slackers he meets on the streets."

"Less than three days ago,"

Dr. Corser said amidst a silence that could be almost felt, "a prominent physician said to me: 'What do you want to volunteer for? Think of what you will lose. What you do won't make any difference three years from now, and it makes no difference who rules this country anyway.'"

BIG COLD STORAGE PLANT

Glacier Fish Company Rushing Work on Project at Scow Bay

Neils Nelson, northern agent of the Glacier Fish company is rushing work on the cold storage project at Scow Bay with a view to getting the plant in operation as soon as possible. The Petersburg Report in referring to the project says:

"The completed work includes the dock, mess and bunk-house, and shore warehouse, the latter building being 30x80 feet, two stories."

"A warehouse is to be built on the dock, and cold-storage building on shore. The latter building will be 40x125, two stories, and the forty-ton plant will be on the ground ready for installation when the building is ready for it. The freezing plant is to have capacity for 20 tons of ice per day. There will be large storage room provided for ice and bait."

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